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Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

> Re: U.S. Patent Application Ser. No. 10/751,078

> > **Applicant: Rodney Edward Thomas**

Filed: January 2, 2004

For: Vehicular Child Seat Assembly

Docket No. A310937.0US

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are:

Transmittal letter (1 page); 1.

2. Amendment, which includes a Certificate of Mailing (10 pages); and

3. Firm return receipt postcard.

Thank you for your help with this matter.

Best Regards,

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the Office Action in the above identified application that was mailed on January 12, 2006. Applicant appreciates the thorough review of the subject of the invention and the assessment of the prior art. In response to this Office Action, Applicant has amended claim 1 and cancelled claims 6 and 7. Applicant believes that this amendment is warranted under 37 C.F.R. 1.116(b)(3) because the rejections in this Office Action were new grounds for rejection. Thus, this is Applicant's first opportunity to respond to these rejections.

Amendments to Claims begin on page 2 and Remarks begin on page 7.